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## **DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH SERVICES**

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December 6, 1999

TO: All County Welfare Directors

All County Administrative Officers

All County Medi-Cal Program Specialists/Liaisons

All County Public Health Directors
All County Mental Health Directors

## HEALTH INSURANCE PREMIUM PAYMENT (HIPP) PROGRAM

Effective January 1, 2000, the Health Insurance Premium Payment (HIPP) program will begin an outreach program to provide HIPP program training to eligibility workers in California. This outreach is an attempt to educate all eligibility workers on the HIPP program to enable them to decide if a Medicare or Medi-Cal applicant qualifies to have their private health coverage premium payment paid through the HIPP program.

If you are interested in scheduling a training session, please complete the form at the bottom of this letter and return it to the address provided. Training will be provided on a first-come, first-served basis.

If you have any questions regarding the HIPP program training sessions, please contact Ms. Jean Nichols at (916) 324-3774.

Sincerely,

**ORIGINAL SIGNED BY** 

| Arrgeline Mrva, Chief<br>Medi-Cal Eligibility Branch |         |            |
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| County:  |         |            |
| Contact Person:                                      |         |            |
| Address: (Street)                                    | (City)  | (Zip Code) |
| Telephone Number:                                    | E-Mail: |            |
| Date(s) Preferred:                                   |         |            |

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| County:  | Branch Office:             |  |  |
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| Contact Person:                                    |                            |  |  |
| Address:   | (City)                     | (Zip Code)   |  |
| Telephone Number:                                  | E-Mail:                    |  |  |
| When would you want to have the training           | g session?                 |  |  |
| 1 <sup>st</sup> Quarter (January, February, March) | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (/ | 2 <sup>nd</sup> Quarter (April, May, June)           |  |
| 3 <sup>rd</sup> Quarter (July, August, September)  | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter (0 | 4 <sup>th</sup> Quarter (October, November, December |  |
| Number of eligibility workers to atte              | nd training session        |  |  |